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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q67799

Minoru NAKAJIMA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/019,656

Group Art Unit: 1772

Confirmation No.: 9948

Examiner: Donald J. Loney

Filed: February 12, 2002

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For: INTERLAYER FOR LAMINATED GLASS AND LAMINATED GLASS

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated July 1, 2003, Applicant elects Group I,
directed to a product.

The Examiner is requested to proceed with the examination of Group I, product claims 1--
~~6, 8-12, 28, 30 and 31-36. → 1, 4, 8-12, 28, 30, 31-36~~

Early favorable action is earnestly solicited.

In the event that the Examiner believes that it may facilitate the further prosecution of this
application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at the local Washington,
D.C. telephone number indicated below.

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The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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